

Message

From: Moler, Robert [Moler.Robert@epa.gov]
Sent: 12/6/2017 8:57:04 PM
To: Vranka, Joe [vranka.joe@epa.gov]
CC: Cirian, Mike [Cirian.Mike@epa.gov]
Subject: FW: Letter from Columbia Falls Aluminum Company

Joe, here is a first-stab draft response for your consideration:

Dear Mr. Stroiazzo,

Thank you for your November 7, 2017 letter. I appreciate the background information that you provided and the invitation to attend an upcoming meeting of the Community Liaison Panel (CLP) and tour the Columbia Falls Aluminum Company (CFAC) site. As you mentioned, I have also been contacted by Senator Tester's office with this request and I fully intend to follow with a visit to Columbia Falls in the near future.

Visiting Columbia Falls and the CFAC site is a priority for me and I plan to make the trip in the spring 2018. The EPA CFAC site team have advised me that next spring would be an ideal time to visit so that I can better understand the site and local conditions. To ensure I am able to make the most of my time, I have asked Mike Cirian, EPA Remedial Project Manager, and Robert Moler, Community Involvement Coordinator, to coordinate with your team and the community of Columbia Falls in advance so that I can meet with the CLP, tour the site, and visit with key stakeholders while I am there.

I appreciate that you reached out to me directly and I look forward to meeting you in person early next year. In the meantime, thank you for your ongoing productive work with EPA to investigate and characterize the CFAC site.

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Sent: Wednesday, December 06, 2017 12:27 PM
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We actually tried to fit a visit in while he was there but it didn't work out.

Thank you Betsy!

(Missy just FYI for the control action)

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Joe

Betsy and I talked and decided that we should develop a written response for Doug's signature indicating his interest in visiting the site in the spring and meeting with the community liaison group at that time. Please work with Noah on processing and routing. Thanks.

Sandy

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From: Vranka, Joe
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Hi, Sandy:

I located the letter you called about. It came in between Doug's November 1 and November 16 visits to Butte and Anaconda. I think Doug mentioned this to me the last time he was up here and indicated that he was interested in visiting Columbia Falls and possibly Libby in the Spring when the winter weather begins to clear. We can follow up with Doug on how he would like to respond. Depending upon what the direction is in the control, we can prepare a response for Doug to send back to Glencore/Columbia Falls Aluminum Company.

John Stroiazzo is a project manager for Glencore, the parent company of Columbia Falls Aluminum Company. Ann Green Communications is a public relations firm hired by Glencore/Columbia Falls Aluminum Company. The Community Liaison Panel mentioned in the letter is organized and directed by Ann Green Communications.

Please let me know if you have any questions and if you would like us to draft the response to Mr. Stroiazzo.

Thank you,

Joe

From: Vonda Matthews [<mailto:vmatthews@anngreencomm.com>]

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Administrator Benevento,

Please see the attached letter that was mailed out to you yesterday from Columbia Falls Aluminum Company.

Senator John Tester of Montana as well as Mike Cirian and Robert Moler of EPA Region 8 have been copied on this email.

Please send any response to John Stroiazzo, CFAC Project Manager via email to john.stroiazzo@cfaluminum.com or you may reach John by phone at (647) 292-5767.

Kind regards,

Vonda B. Matthews

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